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As a belo	ow nam	ed inventor, I hereby declare that:
This dec	laration i	s of the following type:
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		INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION
		ost office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am an original, wentor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention
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		SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION
The spec	ification	of which:
	[X] [ ]	is attached hereto was filed on {Filing Date}, under Serial No. {Serial No.}, executed on even date herewith; or [ ] Express Mail No.(as Serial No. not yet known) and was amended on (if applicable) was described and claimed in PCT International Application No filed on
		and as amended under PCT Article 19 on
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		at I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the ed by any amendment referred to above.
		e duty to disclose all information I know to be material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Regulations, 1.56,
	d that a	aterial to the examination of this application; namely, information where there is a substantial reasonable Examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to and
	[]	In compliance with this duty there is attached an Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with 37 CFR 1.98.

## PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. §119)

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119, of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America or of any United States Provisional Application(s) listed below, and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

[]	No such applications have been filed.
[X]	Such applications have been filed as follows:

A. Prior foreign/PCT/provisional application(s) filed within 12 mos. (6 mos. for design) prior to this application, and any priority claims under 35 U.S.C. § 119

Country/PCT	<b>Application No</b>	<b>Date Filed</b>	<b>Priority Claimed</b>
US	60/505,116	09/23/2003	[X] Yes [] No

B. All foreign application(s), if any, filed more than 12 mos. (6 mos for design) prior to this U.S. application

Country:
Application No:
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### PRIORITY CLAIM (35 U.S.C. §120)

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120, of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that/those prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to the examination of this application (namely, information where there is substantial likelihood that a reasonable Examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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#### **POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As the named inventors, we hereby appoint the attorneys and/or agents associated with CUSTOMER NUMBER 32,588 to prosecute the above-identified application and transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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### **DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and, further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Sec. 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.

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